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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Haruo SOEDA et al. Conf.: 9947  
Appl. No.: 09/707,765 Group: 2624  
Filed: November 8, 2000 Examiner: D. TRAN  
For: IMAGE OUTPUTTING SYSTEM

LARGE ENTITY TRANSMITTAL FORM

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

January 27, 2005

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Reply to Restriction/Election Requirement in the above-identified application.

- ☐ The enclosed document is being transmitted via the Certificate of Mailing provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.8.
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Respectfully submitted,

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated January 6, 2005, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This response includes:

**Remarks**, which begin on page 2 of this paper.